

## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

MAKITA, et al.

Group Art Unit: Unknown

Application No.: 10/700,042

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Attorney Dkt. No.: 107348-00382

For: POWER TRANSMISSION DEVICE FOR ASTRIDE-RIDING VEHICLE

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: June 16, 2004

Sir:

Prior to examination of the application, please amend the above-identified application as shown on the following pages: